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Applicant

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CAPTURING, MATCHING AND LINKING INFORMATION IN A GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS

NETWORK

Examiner

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 18, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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